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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: NIGERIAN INTEREST IN US-NIGERIA AIR
TRANSPORT AGREEMENT

1. ON APRIL 1 PAN AM INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT AIRLINE'S
LOCAL MANAGER IN LAGOS HAD BEEN INFORMED BY NIGERIAN CIVAIR
AUTHORITIES THAT NO INCREASES IN PAN AM'S LAGOS FLIGHT
WOULD BE CONSIDERED UNTIL A BILATERAL AIR TRANSPORT
AGREEMENT WITH US IS CONCLUDED. FMG REPORTEDLY HAS
CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN NEGOTIATING SUCH AGREEMENT.

2. DEPARTMENT REQUESTS EMBASSY TO CONFIRM ABOVE AND TO
ASCERTAIN WHETHER NIGERIANS INTEND TO REQUEST NEGOTIATIONS.
WE WOULD CONSIDER ANY SUCH REQUEST PROMPTLY AFTER
RECEIPT. KISSINGER

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